

DISTRICT BOY WINS KNIGHTHOOD ABROAD

Kenneth Littauer Decorated by King of Belgium.

Cable advices from Paris contain the interesting item that a Washington boy, Kenneth P. Littauer, who graduated from Central High School in 1911, has been knighted by King Albert of Belgium. The reward in the shape of a decoration of the order of Leopold, was awarded for services in the Franco-Belgian aero squadron.

Although entitled to free scholarship at Colgate college as the winner of the first scholarship to that institution given at the local high school, young Littauer entered newspaper work in this city. At the outbreak of the war in 1914 he was living with his parents in Paris, and the following winter returned to the United States and paid a brief visit to his home here.

At the age of 18 years, he entered the service of France in the aviation section, and soon became so distinguished in this branch that the government of the republic honored him with the war cross.

MAJOR LUCE WINS IN GAYETY CONTEST

District Guard Officer Voted Horse as Popular Commander.

Major C. R. Luce, of the District National Guard, with a garrison finish last night won "Wipers," the spirited army horse which Manager Harry Jarboe, of the Gayety Theater, put up last week as a prize for the most popular officer in the District Guard. Capt. L. C. Vogt, who has been one of the principal contenders in the race, annexed second position. The votes cast for Maj. Luce and Capt. Vogt were 2,382 and 2,385 respectively. Saturday's voting was by far the most exciting of the entire week and until the last night of the evening performance were the results completed.

Other officers who made a game race up until the last minute were Maj. F. J. Haddock, Capt. Geo. A. Bonnet, Lieut. Dudley Brown, Lieut. Col. Andrew Stephan, Capt. L. R. Krentzling, and Maj. Leroy Herron.

PURELY PERSONAL.

George Ravenal, of the Government Printing Office has resigned to take employment in Baltimore.

Harry Flaherty has received an appointment in the War Department as draftman.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas M. Harvey will return from Atlantic City today. Harry Hughtlett has received a temporary appointment in the Bureau of Mines.

Chester Northwood, of the Interior Department, has been promoted. Herbert N. Harvey has returned from a short stay at Braddock Heights, Md.

Mr. and Mrs. Morgan V. Gress will leave today for an auto trip for Gettysburg and points South.

Miss I. M. Bohannon left yesterday for a business trip to New York city.

Mrs. E. P. Parker is in Maine visiting her daughter.

Dr. and Mrs. Ernest Smith have returned to Washington from an auto tour of a month through Pennsylvania.

Kirk Simpson has returned from an auto trip through Pennsylvania and New York States.

The Misses Alice and Margaret Keys are spending their vacation at Atlantic City.

Miss Vivian Mohler has returned from Richmond and will resume duties at the office of the American Red Cross.

John W. Deane will leave shortly for a training camp in Massachusetts.

Mrs. Maurice Collins and family have just returned from Colonial Beach, where they have been spending the summer.

Capt. Grover Moore, of the Petersburg, Va., cantonment, is in the city on a forty-eight hour furlough.

Edwin R. E. Blankenship has returned to Washington after a several week stay at Adams, Md.

Henry H. Pillow, of Chester, Pa., is spending his vacation in Washington. He will return to his home within a few days.

Claude H. Zimmerman, of Phoenix, Va., is visiting relatives here.

Harold House is on a short visit in this city before returning to his work at Edgelyton, Pa.

Paul Schwartz has resigned his position in the Postoffice Department to resume his studies at Georgetown University.

West Virginia Society

Gives Entertainment

The West Virginia Society of the District of Columbia held its first meeting of the season of 1917-18 at the Ebbitt House Friday evening. At the close of a short business meeting, during which three new members were received, the society was delightfully entertained with a French horn solo by Dr. W. E. Dieffenderfer, accompanied by Mrs. Dieffenderfer, and a violin solo by Wellington George, accompanied by Miss Margaret Bell. Recitations by Mrs. Dieffenderfer, entitled "The Pastor's Resume" and "Turkey Tail Fan."

Vendor of Peanuts

Contributes \$50 More For Red Cross Fund

The total proceeds of his peanut stand, amounting to \$50, have been donated to the Red Cross by "Steve" Vasilakos, fifty dollars from a peanut stand! Millionaires have given less.

But just a moment; that isn't all. "Steve" says that he intends to give more. He says he will give his proceeds for another week, soon. In fact, he intends to keep on giving until he has given 100 bright silver dollars to be used by the American Red Cross.

"I like to give to the Red Cross fund," said "Steve," "because it does good work. It helps everyone and I like to help. Some things I don't understand, but I know about this. It is good. What good is money?" he asked. "No good, no good if you can't do good with it. Sparta, Greece. He came to America some years ago, having been in Washington about nine years. He has a brother who is now serving in the Greek army. An uncle, who was a general in the army, died a few years ago.

"Steve" may be seen every day, morning and evening, attending to his peanut stand near the Treasury on Pennsylvania avenue. He sells peanuts and popcorn, and does a thriving business.

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NOTIONS

Kann's Annual September Sale Notions and Dressmakers' Findings

—To those who have attended these sales in the past we need only say the September sale is ready to have them hurry down for their share.

—It is to the newcomers we speak.

—This is your Big Opportunity to make substantial savings on small wares. Fill your work basket for weeks to come with the specially priced items on this list.

—Check your needs and bring this down as a shopping list.

Pins.

—Damascus Pins; 300 count; regularly 5c paper; 3 for 10c.
—Clinton Safety Pins; all sizes; regularly to 5c dozen; a dozen, 5c.

—Defender Safety Pins; 1 dozen on card; regularly 5c; 3 dozen for 10c.

—Black and white headed pins; regularly 5c dozen; 3 dozen for 10c.

—Dressmakers' English Make Pins; 2-1/2 lb. box; regularly 25c; box, 19c.

—Damascus Steel Safety Pins; regularly 10c dozen; 2 dozen for 15c.

Dress Fasteners.

—Snap Fasteners; black or white; regularly 10c dozen; 2 dozen for 15c.

—Snappy Snaps; 1 dozen on card; all sizes; 7c value; dozen, 5c.

—Earl Hooks and Eyes; all sizes; 10c value; card, 7c.

—Perkshire Hooks and Eyes; all sizes; 3 cards for 10c.

—Macey's Hooks and Eyes; 10c card for 5c.

—Snap Fasteners on tape; 25c yard for 17c.

Tape.

—14-yard Tape; white only; piece, 10c.

—10-yard Tape; 1/4 to 3/4 inches wide; 10c to 15c value; piece, 5c.

—12-yard Bias Seam Tape; white only; regularly to 15c piece, 10c.

Sewing Silk and Thread.

—O. N. T. Cotton; black or white; 6 spools for 25c.
—Sewing Cotton; white only; 200-yard spools; 6 for 15c.

—Nassau Basting Cotton; 500-yard spools; 3 for 15c.

—Sewing Silk; black or white; 400-yard spools; 30c value; spool, 21c.

—Silk; black or colors; 50-yard spools; 3 for 10c.

—Kerr's Luster Thread; black or white; spool, 10c.

—Clark's O. N. T. Darning Cotton; black or white; 6 spools for 10c.

Hair Nets.

—Hair Nets; all-over style; 15c kind; all colors; 4 for 25c.

—Silk Hair Nets; with or without elastic; 3 for 10c.

—All-over Cap Hair Nets; dozen in package for 50c.

Miscellaneous.

—Cotton Lisle Elastic; black or white; regularly to 15c yard; yard, 6c.

—Carpet Thread; black only; 2 spools for 5c.

—Sanitary Wash Cloths; 3 for 10c.

—Shell Hair Pins; 6 in box for 5c.

—Wooden Coat Hangers, 4 for 25c.

—Wooden Skirt or Trouser Hangers, 3 for 10c.

—Nickel Folding Coat Hangers, 2 for 15c.

—Shoe Trees, pair, 5c.

—Dust Caps; good assortment; 10c kind, 7c.

—Silkaten; all colors; 3 spools for 10c.

—West Electric Hair Curlers, special, 17c.

—Collar Bands, sizes 13 to 16 1/2; special, 6 for 15c.

—Cast Steel Scissors; 5 1/2-inch only; pair, 15c.

—Crochet Cotton; odds and ends; 2 spools for 5c.

—Gilt Edge Shoe Polish; black only; bottle, 15c.

—Shinola Shoe Polish; black, white, tan; box, 7c.

—Eachelor's Buttons; black or khaki color; 10 in box; 2 boxes for 15c.

—Net Gimpes Foundations; sizes 12 1/2, 13 and 13 1/2; seconds of 25c kind; 2 for 25c.

—Crowley's Gold Eyed Needles; all sizes; 5c papers; 3 for 10c.

—2 Yd. Shoe Lacers, in black, tan, brown and gray; 10c kind; 2 for 15c.

Kann's—Street Floor.

Monday Another Great SHOE SALE

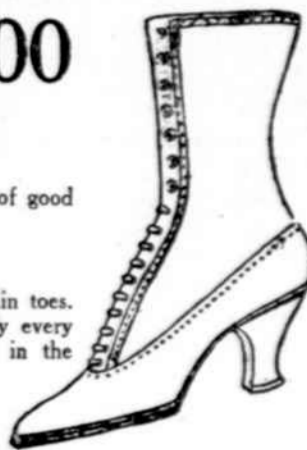
Clearing Out Remaining Lots from \$2.00 recent sales, discontinued styles and samples of high shoes at, choice, a pair

—This is opportunity for the women of Washington and vicinity, for the sale offers a splendid range of good styles and leathers at a price lower than we bought them for originally.

HIGH SHOES IN BLACK ONLY

—Button or lace styles in patent colt, patent kid, gunmetal calf, bright and dull kid. Some have plain toes. Others have tips; some have cloth, others leather tops. All types of heels are represented and nearly every size. Best choice to those who are here early in the day. Therefore be here with the crowd at 9 in the morning when the store opens.

Kann's—Fourth Floor.



Madame Who Has Her Apparel Made to Measure Will Find Kann's Dress Goods Store Her Best Supply Center for Wool Fabrics

—Best from the standpoint of quality and variety, because of our vast preparations against a scarcity. Best in qualities because our policy permits none but high standard weaves to enter our stock. Find, too, that prices are uniformly fair, based on our early buying and giving you the benefit.

—Among the particularly attractive weaves for fall we mention

- Burellas
- Silvertones
- Tweeds
- Checks
- Duvet de Laine
- Broadcloths
- Black Plush
- Velours
- Yosemite
- Tricotines
- Silk and Wool Poppins
- Wool Poppins
- Serges
- Seal Plush
- Lanuras
- Normandy
- Plaids
- Crepe Poppins
- Peau de Souris
- Gabardine
- Mole Plush

Serges Promise to Be a Leader—Note These Values.

—Splendid lot of 36-in. Serges, Priced Very Special at 59c.

All-Wool Serges.

—36-in. wide, yard, 79c
—42-in. wide, yard, \$1.10
—50-in. wide, yard, \$2.00

French Serges.

—42-in. wide, yard, \$1.25
—43-in. wide, yard, \$1.50
—45-in. wide, yard, \$1.75

All-wool Tailor Serges.

—56-in. wide, yard, \$2.25
—58-in. wide, yard, \$2.50
—56-in. wide, yard, \$3.00

Kann's—Street Floor.

28c to 38c Printed Voiles, 19c Yd.

—A CLEARING of our remaining full pieces of these popular voiles that have sold all season at 28c, 35c and 38c. All are perfect goods, in the newest and most attractive patterns on both light and dark grounds, 38 inches wide; very special to close Monday, a yard, 19c.

—32-inch Shirting Madras, printed and woven colors in blue, black and lavender stripes that are guaranteed fast. Desirable styles for men's shirts and boys' blouses. Monday, a yard, 25c.

—32-inch Devonshire and Kiddie Cloths, for children's school dresses. Choice of stripes, checks and plain colors, all fast. A yard, 25c.

Kann's—Street Floor.

"Gilt Edge" Dress Satins Specially Priced

Satins of Good Quality Are in Ever-Increasing Demand--These "Gilt Edge" Satins Answer That Demand.

—In every assembly of well-gowned New York women the vogue of satin is manifest. These "Gilt Edge" Satins are an excellent quality, yarn dyed and good weight, in this good color assortment:

White	Ivory	Light Blue	Turquoise
Flesh	Pink	Old Gold	Beige
Tan	Golden Brown	Seal Brown	Reseda
Myrtle	Copenhagen	Orchid	Damson
Pearl	Silver	Taupe	Light Navy
Medium Navy	Purple	Midnight Blue	Black

Width, 36 inches. **\$1.69 Yard** Street Floor

Blankets, Comforts, Sheets, Cases

—PREPARE NOW FOR FALL AND WINTER while our present stocks are so large and these prices are in force. We do not know whether or not we will be able to get more to sell at these prices. By having a supply on hand you are sure of what you need—therefore, BUY tomorrow.

—Fine Wool Blankets, made from California wool, in the soft finish. Choice of white with pink or blue borders; also large plaids in pink, blue, tan, gray and lavender; finished with wide colored binding. 70x84-in. \$10 size, pair, \$10.
—Gray Wool Mixed Blankets; size 65x80-in.; good weight, with colored borders and mo-hair binding. Pair, \$4.00.

—White Wool Blankets, best qualities; good weight; large size, in white or gray with colored borders and mo-hair binding. Pair, \$5.00.

—Plaid Wool Blankets, double-bed size; soft finish, inlay block design; also white and gray with colored borders. Pair, \$6.50.

—Wool-finished Cotton Blankets in white, gray and tan, with colored borders; also plaids; double-bed size. A pair, \$3.69.

—Cotton-filled Comforts, covered with silkolines and satens, in floral and Oriental designs; good weight and size. Each, \$3.00.

Kann's Ironclad Sheets

—Full bleached, in regular and extra lengths, for brass, iron and wooden beds; all perfect and made from regular sheeting.

—Sixty-90-in. at 95c
—Sixty-90-in. at \$1.05
—Sixty-108-in. at \$1.10

—Embroidered Envelope Pillow Cases, made from fine cotton; choice of seven different styles. Regularly \$1.25. Monday \$1.00 only, pair.

—Medium-weight Bed Spreads; plain hem style in good designs; size 75x86-in. Regularly \$2.75. Monday, special, \$2.00.

—40-in. Indian Head tubing, for small size pillow cases or bolsters. A yard, 25c.

Kann's—Street Floor.

A Week of Curtain Nets, Laces, Voiles and Marquisettes Six Days to Buy the Choicest Qualities at Special Introductory Prices. You Know What This Means.

Drapery Nets and Laces Worth Up to 98c Yard.

—A prominent mill's surplus, including full belts and good lengths. New fall patterns. Select from 36 to 50-inch widths.

—Scotch Fllet Nets, Plain Bobbinets, Cable Nets, Craft Laces Nets, Fish Nets.

24c Yard

—Find in this lot just what you want for half sash, sill length or full length curtains, bureau or dresser scarfs, fancy work, etc. Choice of white, cream, ecru, beige and Arabian.

VOILES AND MARQUISSETTES WORTH TO 59c.

—Very latest fall patterns in these popular materials. Three large tables filled with the lots.

—Plain and Figured Marquisette, Plain and Striped Voiles, Cable Nets, Colored Border Scrim, Colored Border Marquisette, Colored Border Voiles, Zira Cloth Marquisettes, Scotch Madras.

—Full bolts of these very excellent washable drapery fabrics, for window and door hangings, bed sets, bureau scarfs, fancy work, etc. All are good designs and colors.

29c YARD

BRISBIE SASH PANEL CURTAINS

Values to 59c. Choice This Sale **19c**

—Scotch Lace Half-sash Curtains, made with overlook stitched edge; real lace designs, in white and cream; complete with loops at top.

—Fine Scrim and Marquisette Half-sash Panel Curtains with pretty fllet lace center and Battenberg braid edge trimming and scalloped borders; complete with heading ready to shir on rod.

WINDOW OR DOOR CURTAINS.

—or Draperies made to order from materials purchased here at the special price, set. Usual prices, \$1.00 to \$1.50. **40c**

Kann's—Third Floor.



Congoleum Art Rugs and Linoleums In a Sale Monday that Means Dollars in Your Pocket

—Fortunate purchases during the summer months bring these good values to you. Buy while you can at less than usual prices.

Nearly 500 "Congoleum" Art Rugs

—Sizes Ranging from 7 1/2x9 to 9x12

feet—Slightly Imperfect Numbers—

Selling Regularly at \$6.95 and More

\$2.85

—The imperfections are very slight in this lot; in no case will it affect the wear of the rug. The patterns are very attractive Oriental designs. These rugs, as you know, are water-proof and sanitary and very desirable for kitchen, hall, etc.

—6x7 1/2 to 6x9 ft. Congoleum Rugs. Seconds of the Rugs. Seconds of the \$1 \$1.39.
—4 1/2x6 ft. Congoleum Rugs. Seconds of the Rugs. Seconds of the \$1 \$2.40 grade. At 89c. grade. At 59c.

Inlaid Linoleum, 89c Square Yard

—Heavy quality, that sells regularly at \$1.10 to \$1.25—the kind that wears to the last thread. All colorings, in tile, mosaic and hardwood effects. Cut from full rolls.

Cork Filled and Neponset Linoleum, 39c Square Yd.

—Sold regularly at 59c to 75c. Perfect goods, off full rolls of Neponset, and large lengths of cork-filled linoleums. Splendid variety of patterns and colorings in this sale.

EXTRA---Purchases of 15 square yards or more will be laid at, a square yard 5c

—This applies to any linoleum purchased here tomorrow and to patrons who live within the city limits.

Kann's—Third Floor.

INTERESTING NEWS FOR THE HOME DECORATOR

—NEW FALL CRETONNES, imported and domestic. Choice of Geneva Cloth, Dresden Cloth, Sonder Cloth, Versailles Chintz and others, in floral, stripe, checks, bird effects, shadow prints, Jasper stripes, verdure effects, etc. Values to 19c 24c yard. MONDAY, YARD.

REUPHOLSTERING OFFER

3-Piece Frame Suites for \$8.95

—Select from 7 big table lots of materials at 69c to \$1.98 a yard; new fall tapestries, velours, damasks, leatherettes, etc., etc.—give us your purchase and your furniture and we will do the rest; all new webbing, springs, gimps, reupholstering or polishing is thrown in with the work, and the workmanship is guaranteed.

The Lace Curtain Store Is Brimming with New Ideas for Every Home

—Curtains gathered together from many parts of the world; imported kinds at popular prices as well as our own fine domestic products. Panel Curtains are gaining popularity and we show good variety this season.

LACE CURTAINS. \$1.95 to \$2.95
IRISH POINT CURTAINS. \$2.95 to \$11.95
CLINT CURTAINS. \$1.95 to \$7.95
SCRIM CURTAINS. 50c to \$4.95
BATTENBERG CURTAINS. \$1.79 to \$4.95
NOTTINGHAM CURTAINS. 49c to \$1.95
SCOTCH LACE CURTAINS. 95c to \$